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The Director of Central Intelligence
Washington, D.C 20505

Critical Intelligence Problems Committee

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Weekly Activities and Status Report for DD/ICS--2 November 1983

CIPC Organizational Activities

● The next CIPC meeting is still scheduled for 1600 hours, 15 November 1983. However, the meeting still hinges on the Narcotics Subpanel.

- They meet today to finalize their report; subsequent to this meeting we can ascertain our next move.

✓ ● The Cruise Missile Report is at the printer--we should receive 35 copies from them later this week for distribution to the DCI and NFIC.

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✓ ● [] has also completed sanitizing (Secret level) the Executive Summary of the Narcotics Report.

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● Potpourri:

- You, [] visited Dom DiCarlo and Clyde Taylor yesterday, 1 November.

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- [] to NSA on 3 November, A. M.

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Narcotics Projects and Activities:

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● [] attended the State/INM biweekly meeting on 26 October. Clyde Taylor, Deputy Assistant Secretary/INM, briefed on pending Congressional legislation affecting narcotics control policies. There are four different versions of "Drug Czar" legislation, one of which has been attached as a rider to the supplemental appropriations bill, H.R. 3959. The Hawkins-Percy Bill, if passed, will require a substantial response from INM by 31 January on all aspects of narcotics production and trafficking. INM seems fairly sure that some legislation is going to be passed which will require strong intelligence backing for INM policies.

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- A copy of the H.R. 3959 was provided to you yesterday, 1 November-- attached to the LL Daily Report. It also deals with the establishment of a "Drug Czar."

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● On 2 November, [] will hold what may prove to be the last of the sessions on use of classified intelligence to support drug law enforcement. He has received written comments from DIA, CIA and NSA and incorporated them into a fifth draft. Several issues remain but [] hopes they can be resolved in an extended session on 2 November. 25X1

● On 1 November, [] met with representatives from the Office of Legislative Liaison/CIA, NSA and DoD Legislative Affairs to discuss the recent series of inquiries made by Congressional Staff member Ted Mehl on behalf of Congressman English's Subcommittee on Government Information; Justice and Agriculture, and the House Committee on Government Operations for a general briefing on the level of narcotics intelligence support to the law enforcement agencies. Also attending the meeting was [] deputy to [] Office of External Affairs/DIA. 25X1

- The principal purpose behind this meeting was to air specific views and reactions to Congressman English's report. The status/timing of the hearings is still uncertain, but the general consensus of those present was to confine any briefing to a factual support presentation and avoid any discussion of future plans/projections.
- A major result of the meeting was to hopefully ensure that all members of the Community, including DIA, will have the opportunity to develop a collective approach to the hearings if and when they occur. All present concurred in the importance of establishing careful ground rules and of keeping the respective House and Senate intelligence committees informed.

✓ CIPC China Working Group: [] 25X1

● Members of the group that had offered previous comments on the initial draft outline prepared by CIPC staff met on 28 October to consider a revised outline. The revised outline was adopted with minor revisions. (Outline and revised TOR attached.)

- The new outline has been distributed to the full membership in preparation for discussion at the next meeting on 8 November. The working group will meet every other Tuesday on a regular basis hereafter. Additionally, the membership has provided a listing of primary subgroup affiliations within the working group. Initial drafting of inputs to the final report will be done by the subgroups. [] will present the group's proposed amended TOR to the CIPC principals in the committee meeting of 15 November. 25X1

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✓ CBW Future Monitoring Capabilities: []

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[] ● This project was not worked on during the preceding week. A straw man TOR will be drafted this week to accompany the previously prepared discussion paper in entering further discussions with experts in this field.

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Soviet Civil Unrest: []

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● [] comments on requirements and priorities on Soviet Civil Unrest have been incorporated into a response to Stan Moskowitz being prepared by CRES. [] reviewed and coordinated this response on 28 October.

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East Germany; Intelligence Information Needs: []

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● On 28 October, [] reviewed the informal files on East Germany which have been collected by [] HUMINT Committee, in anticipation of a possible East Germany study. [] will be having follow-up visits with various working-level members of the Community who deal with East Germany during the next few weeks in an effort to determine whether or not there are persistent intelligence gaps to warrant a major CIPC effort.

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